



PATENT
Attorney Docket No. 03495.0301

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
Ali AMARA et al.)
Application No.: 10/700,507) Group Art Unit: 1648
Filed: November 5, 2003) Examiner: Stacy Brown Chen
For: COMPOSITIONS CONTAINING DC-) Confirmation No.: 6288
SIGN BLOCKERS AND METHODS)
OF USING DC-SIGN BLOCKERS)
FOR PREVENTING OR TREATING)
DISEASES OF A MAMMAL,)
INCLUDING VIRAL INFECTIONS)

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Sir:

REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION

Applicant now Replies to the Office Action mailed December 20, 2006. The deadline for reply has been extended to May 20, 2007 by a Petition for Extension of Time and fee payment filed concurrently herewith.

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims at pages 2-8.

Remarks/Arguments begin at page 9.